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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Be re the Application of

Kazuhiko OKAWA et al.

Application No.: 09/866,800

Group Art Unit: 2826

Examiner: J. Mondt

Filed: May 30, 2001

Docket No.: 109657

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING ELECTROSTATIC PROTECTION CIRCUIT  
AND METHOD OF FABRICATING THE SAME

AMENDMENT FILED WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the May 22, 2003 Final Rejection, and upon entry of the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith, the shortened statutory period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following prior to continuing examination:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**

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